

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: John G. CARMAN Confirmation No.: 8150
Application No.: 10/785,157 Group Art Unit: 1638
Filing Date: February 25, 2004 Examiner: Keith O'Neal Robinson
Title: **METHODS FOR PRODUCING
APOMICTIC PLANTS** Attorney Docket No.: 15740.006

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 26, 2007, Applicant hereby respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks into the record of the above-captioned application. A petition to extend the time for responding by two months to, and including, May 27, 2008, as Monday, May 26, 2008 was a national holiday, with fee authorization, is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with the amendments made herein. Should any fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Fennemore Craig, PC Deposit Account No. **060590**.